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FILE HEADING.

Powers of Patronage of the Superintendent Government Presses and Stationery

From

The Superintendent Govt. Presses

No. 447 Dated 11-8-15 Received 13-8-15

Diary No. 1624	Enclos.	Spare Copies.	Serial No. /

BRIEF ABSTRACT OF LETTER.

Refers to the G.O. of 22nd July 1915 defining the Supdt's powers in appointment promotion & increments. It is short in the Office under him and requests that the Order may be modified so as to give him greater powers in these matters.

NOTES AND ORDERS.

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The G.O. referred to by the Supdt is a specific one with reference to the cases mentioned by him. It conveys no general sanction as is interpreted

I think it does — vide order last para struck out

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That the latitude allowed to the
Supdt has not tended towards
the due observance of Govt orders
passed from time to time has
been seen in the single case
of P. Nanjundayya Storekeeper
of the Govt Dry Depot who, as
such was required under
standing orders to accordingly
did furnish security for his
place, was transferred on
promotion to the Govt Press
without another being appoin
ed as Storekeeper on furnishin
the necessary security. This
was brought to the notice of Govt
recently in the case of the appoin
ment of T. Hanumayya Rao,
an Overseer of the Govt Press,
as Storekeeper of the Stationery
Depot, without obtaining any
security. There have been many
such cases of irregularity
Quite apart from all this
the recent G.O. on this subject
has attempted to define

All these remarks are beside the point — KBJ

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powers of the Supdt Press and Stationery, because it was all so much under him till now, and Govt deem it essential it should be defined as recited in the order. The other reasons were for consideration ~~by Govt~~ 3. As regards the analogy of other Technical depts — P.W., Agriculture, Industries, Medicine, Geology, these Officers are all Heads of depts with the status of or above that of Deputy Commissioners whereas, in the case of the Press Supdt, there is no grade pay given for the post, the higher pay of the present incumbent being personal. Unlike the Heads of the Technical departments who are directly under the Govt, the Supdt of the Press & Stationery has been placed by the order of March 1886 recited in the order of 11th June 1915 under the administrative control of the Secy (the chief Secy of that date) & not under Govt. He is of the status of the Supdt Govt Gardens, the

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Meteorological Reporter to Govt, the Officer in charge of archeological Researches, who are all Heads of Offices with little or no powers of appointment, promotion leave etc. This is as much technical as the Gardens or Meteorology or Archeology through more Extended activity —

Submitted for orders

PR 11-9-15

4 I have numbered the paragraphs in the Superintendent's letter for convenience of reference.

Paper under disposal

Para 1. — Needs no orders. —

5 Para 2. — I am inclined to think that the S.O. referred to in the last sentence of this para (No 870-11 dt 5th Aug 1911) did contemplate vesting in the hands the authority to effect transfers from one branch to another in the branch under his control, although the order was passed on a special case then before Govt, yet the last para in the draft required the hands of Govt proposals in that

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behalf for approval of govt was served out when the draft was approved for issue

6 In any case, I think that in the matter of transfers referred to in the Cl.(iii) of para 4 of GO No 1012-15 dt 22nd July 1915, the Supdt may be authorized to exercise the powers subject to the limitations in the matters of appointments & promotions as defined in para Clauses (i) & (ii) of the order

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7 Paras 3, 4 & 5. — The powers bestowed on the Supdt in the order referred to above corresponds more or less with the powers bestowed on officers in other depts

8 Draft of the order submitted for approval

First Member) — Draft appd. by First member 22.9.15

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1	To the Supdt Govt Press & Compt
2	No 4432-2 G 2/5 15
	Issues in connection with the [illegible]
	of the Supdt's Complaint about the
	limitation of power contained
	in the G.O. of 22nd Jan 1915

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OFFICE OF THE SUPERINTENDENT,
GOVERNMENT PRESS,
Dated Bangalore, 11th August 1915

FROM

C. H. YATES, ESQ.,
SUPERINTENDENT, GOVERNMENT PRESS,
BANGALORE.

To D. M. Narasinga Rao, Esq; B.A., B.L.,
Offg: Secretary to Government,
General Department.

SIR,

With reference to Government Or
No. Ly 1012-15 dated 22d July 191
Ly. No 126-14-B

I have the honor to inform you that
V. Hanumaya Rao has since been
reverted to his substantive appoint
-ment in the Press, and there is there
-fore no need to call upon him
to furnish security.

2. As regards the [illegible] upon
which the order under reference is
poses on the Superintendent to
obtain

obtain Government sanction in cases of appointments necessitating a change from one Department to another, I venture to think that the Superintendents' discretionary powers may continue as at present, since the matter is not of such great complexity or importance as to need the special attention of Government. Further, Government have themselves approved of the interchange of employees in the various Departments under the Superintendents' Control vide G. O. No. G 810-11/G. 211 66-10-10, dated May 5th August 1911.

Referring to Para 4, Clause (11) of the Order, restricting the Superintendents' power of patronage, may I point out that it appears

aspects the practice that has been
in vogue for more than a gene-
-ration. It is incompatible with
the status of the Officer, whose
salary is Rs: 850, and who
is in charge of a large es-
-tablishment like the Press.

4. In this connection I beg
to bring to the notice of Govern-
ment that even an Assistant
Compositor getting Rs: 250/-
is authorized to make appoint-
-ments upto Rs: 25/- whereas
the Superintendent, whose pay
is fixed at Rs: 850/- is not
authorized to make appoint-
-ments above Rs: 20/-

5. Further as a Technical

Department

Department like Mines it is only the head that is in a position to determine the merits of every employee serving under him, and it seems to me nothing should be done to weaken his hands by way of curtailing his powers of patronage as this would not be conducive to efficiency, but would on the contrary introduce a lot of friction in the smooth working of the establishment, not to speak of the scope it would give for agitation on the part of discontented employees.

6. I would therefore beg a modification of the Govern-

-ment

Government Order under reference, so as to give under powers of patronage to the Superintendent of the Press, as in the case with Kindred Technical Departments.

I have the honor to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient Servant,

W. Yates.

Superintendent,

Government Press.

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Diary No. of letter replied to 1504

Proceedings of the Government of His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore.

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Date of issue

Signed by

READ—

G.O. No. 1012-15-G.M. dt 22nd July 1915 sanctioning the Staff of posts appointments & promotions in the Stationery during the quarter Ending Dec. 1914 & cancelling rules & regulations appointments & promotions in the Stationery Dept

(2) Letter No. 447 dt 1 Aug. 1915 from the Supt over

SUBJECT.

GPB—10,000—19-4-10

authorities - keeping with the refer
ence 2 of the above order
of T. Hanuma Rao has been
carried to the post-mortem
room is now need to take an
action for having Security and
communicating certain
Excavations on the rules
laid down for appointments
promotions in the Prison
Ne Stationery Dept

Order

The enquiry of T. Hanu- × a report of the death
ma Rao to the post mortem of Mr. Nicol has
is noted. — been rec'd - & is filed in
Confidential file.

2. In all cases in which
Security is required prescribed
~~on appointment~~ at post, the Superin-
tendent must see the production
Security before making
appointment to the post.

By the Order of Inspector

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to them then in the office as the Superintendent, the Superintendent may also such transfers without sanction of first subject to the restrictions laid down in the case of appointments & promotions in accordance with Clauses (i) & (ii) of para 4 of the G.O. referred to above. It must however be understood that financial transfers should not be ordered with a view to provide promotions or for any other reasons whatever

With regard to Subdn's observations in the matter of appointments & promotions first assume that the powers vested in them in matters under reference to above is in accordance with what obtains in other Depts of the State and no change of the rule is called for -

22/9/15

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To The Superintendent First Class Accountant

MGCPB—30,000—5-4-05